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1. During the first half of February 1954, the East German State Committee for Material Procurement developed plans for 1955, 1956, and 1957. These plans were expressly developed for use by the Council for Economic Mutual Aid (CEMA). These plans were discussed with the Department for Economic Policy (Abteilung Wirtschaftspolitik) of the Soviet High Commission in Karlshorst. The name of the pertinent official there is Komotski (fnu).
2. A second similar plan was developed independently by the East German State Planning Commission. In part, material from the State Committee for Material Procurement was used in this second plan.
3. Plans are still to be developed for the years 1958, 1959, and 1960. 1/ The responsible official in the State Committee for Material Procurement for developing these plans is Hugo Meiser.

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- 1/ Comment. It is believed that a new Five-Year Plan for the years 1956 through 1960 is being considered. The figures prepared in these plans need the approval of CEMA. It is understood that radical changes can be expected before the plans will be put into effect in East Germany.

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